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Poetical.

The Maiden's Love.

BY CHARLES GODFREY LELAND.

The fleetest horse in all the land,
So swift you can not ride
But that his shadow on the sand
Will follow by your side,
And if your heart with love be sore
For one who feels your pain,
You can not love that maiden more
Than she will love again.

So red a rosebud never blew
When opened by the wind,
But that the more as bright of hue
By sucking you may find.
And ah! that wooing lips o'er spoken
Of greater truth in vain;
You can not love a maiden more
Than she will love again.

The surest fish upon the line
So mateless may not be
But that some other fish as fine
Is swimming in the sea.
And love as man ne'er loved before,
This truth will still be plain;
You can not love a maiden more
Than she will love again.

The horse will live with grass to rise,
The rose will wet with dew,
The fish white swimming in the sea,
And love while love is true.
While light is in the sun above,
And flowers are on the plain,
So long as you are true to love,
She'll love you back again.

Miscellaneous.

A MILL-DEVIL.

BY JULIAN HAWTHORNE

I threw myself down in the cool, deep tufted grass of a sequestered gorge. Overhead the branches of a gigantic oak tree, veiled by dancing leaves, rustled and murmured soothingly; and down the precipitous slope in front leaped and foamed a tumultuous brook, whose voice mingled harmoniously with the whisperings of the oak. I could almost believe, as I closed my eyes, that some one was talking in low, melodious tones.

The brook, after hurrying through a deep, narrow cleft in the ridge of the opposing slope, came with full force down upon a huge water-wheel. The wheel was evidently an antique; many years had passed since it had worked the busy mill, of which a disjointed heap of foundation stones alone remained. It was tangled over with creeping vines and brambles, and adorned with moist ferns and green moss; the rank grass bent over the tail-race as if peering after some concealed mystery. Nature seemed to have made this instrument of man's necessities into a unique plaything for herself. Or perhaps, I mused, this is the wheel of Fortune, who, wearying of it, has left it here in the care of Nature, amidst the sedge and spray of the water fall, and has gone on her way without it. So we are, to have no ups and downs in life hereafter—all one smooth, level plain, unchecked by darkness and unchecered by light. Ah, no! come back, fair goddess; for thy fickleness is the life blood of our truth! Come back once more to this shady, sunny gorge, and wrest thy wheel from the clinging grasp of vines and brambles, the arms with which reluctant Nature strives to hold it back! bring it out once again upon the dusty road, and turn it as you go, lest the sluggish hearts of men should cease to beat, and they forget to draw the very breath of life, and their souls, torpid and uninspired, grovel upon the earth, nor ever strive to climb above themselves! How much of joy and grief, of life and death, have clustered round the turning of that wheel, even as the ferns and vines cluster around it now! Methinks even yet I feel the influence upon me.

"Perhaps there may be more truth than poetry in your remarks," observed my companion, though I was not conscious of having spoken aloud. "The tragedies of our daily lives," he continued, in a tone which, while singularly soft and musical, told of one who had seen, sinned, and suffered until hope was buried in ashes, "often appear in some way to instill their spirit, as it were, into things we call inanimate. You have shuddered at the thumbscrews and iron Virgin of medieval times, or been horror stricken at the sight of the guillotine and gallows; but was it not the actual, palpable substance of the things themselves, rather than any recollection of scenes in which they have borne a part, that really affected you? You have felt the working of a weird and ghastly power, referable only to the seemingly inanimate object, but springing from the essence of hatred, revenge, and despair, that ever filled the air about it, and which, sinking into its solid substance, gradually became concentrated into a devilish intelligence, endowed with capability to infect you with its own fearful nature, and, if you removed not yourself from its sway, ultimately to accomplish your destruction—moral, if not also physical."

"But are we conscious of this influence unless we are aware beforehand that, and wherefore, it exists? I asked.

"Your own reflections in regard to yonder old mill-wheel should throw light upon that question," responded the voice of my companion. "Look at it a while again, and mark if it does not answer you."

Thus urged, I fixed my eyes steadily upon the wheel and let them rest there. Gradually, as I gazed, an indefinable sensation of dread seemed to be stealing over me. No longer merely a half decayed picturesque ruin, it grew instinct with a grisly terror, all the more impressive from the contrast afforded by the cheerful flecks of sunlight and the green and glancing leaves. Now the plash of the clear water sounded like the stealthy drip of blood, and strange shadows seemed to flit and fade before my eyes. The warm June breeze came laden with a chill, unhallowed essence that stirred the roots of my hair with a creeping horror. I pressed my hands over my eyes and shuddered.

"Ah!" exclaimed the voice again, with a laugh half sad, half scornful, "do you, then, feel it already?"

"What is it?" I asked, speaking with difficulty, and with a sense of oppression at my heart. "Can you tell me of it?

"No one so well," replied my companion; "and it was in order that you might listen to the tale that you were drawn hither, albeit unconsciously to yourself."

So I lay at length upon the greensward, and my eyes were closed, yet could I plainly see, sitting at my side, a gloomy, gray faced figure, with deep wrinkles scored upon his hollow cheeks, and round his stern mouth and sunken eyes and thoughtful forehead. Speaking in a tone that wavered between satire and pathos, he began:

"Fifty years or more ago this mill, little as there is now left of it, was a very prosperous concern. The miller, a widower, was an upright and industrious man, with a good reputation for fair dealing and fine flour. He was looked up to, moreover, among his neighbors, as one possessing an exceptional amount of learning and refinement. In demeanor he was somewhat grave and serious, and he might have been between forty and fifty years of age. His son, a fine handsome young fellow, assisted him in the mill; he had built himself a little cottage on the further slope of the hill yonder, whence he came every morning to his work, crossing the brook by a single plank bridge, thrown across the deep rocky gully opposite, through which the water rushes to its fall. It was a slender affair enough, and they often spoke of building a little stone arch over the chasm; but it was never done. It would seem a matter of slight import; and yet, had that been accomplished, yonder wheel, that hangs there now so motionless, might have been revolving as merily and busily as ever. For the worst devil is opportunity."

"And how does that concern the matter?" I would have asked; but a strange powerlessness had overcome me; as in a dream, I could not speak, nor even lift my head to question my companion with my eyes. The voice continued:

"One day there was an addition to the miller's household—a fair young girl, beautiful and fresh, simple and sweet, like spring weather made tangible. Whence she came no one could say: the general opinion was that she had been the daughter of an old friend now dead; but the miller, whenever he was questioned, smiled and answered that she had risen one morning from the deep, clear pool above the fall, and though she seemed no more than an unusually charming young woman, was in reality a waterwitch, and would one day return to her natural abode, and leave him more desolate than before. In proof of this assertion he was wont to produce a sort of chain or necklace, prettily constructed of small shells, which he declared she had made for him previous to her appearance above water, and which was a talisman destined to bring him to great happiness or misery, according to the use he should make of it. Whether this were truth or fiction, there, at any rate, was the sweet young girl, making the mill a storehouse of cheer and sunshine, as well as of meal and grain. The miller became quite illuminated and rejuvenated, and his prosperity was great, either by virtue of the charmed necklace, or, which amounted to the same thing, because all the neighborhood was captivated by the little water witch. And she testified all a daughter's affection for him, and for a season all went well."

In speaking of this young girl the tones of my companion's voice had flowed along in harmonious cadences, as though the tuneful freshness of her personality had so inspired his antique imagination as to throw a faded ray of sunlight into his shadowy heart. But now he spoke with changed accent, as if an ancient bitterness were seeking utterance.

"A neighboring farmer, coming one day to the mill with a load of grain, said, laying his hand with ponderous friendship on the miller's shoulder:

"'So there's to be a wedding at your house ere long—eh, old friend? Well I give you joy with all my heart; for a finer lad and a sweeter lass than your son and yonder little water-witch, as you call her, were never made man and wife.'

"But the miller started, and frowned, and turned away. How was it that the sunshine seemed to mock him, and the pleasant plash of the water falling upon the wheel jarred his nerves and irritated him? At this moment a burst of cheery laughter came echoing down from above the fall, mingled with the full tones of a manly voice. At that he turned and entered his room, threw himself down in a chair, his head on the table, and writhed with overmastering despair and bitterness. Then he put his hand into his bosom and drew forth the necklace of shells.

"'This to me, and her heart to him,' he muttered, with set teeth. "Fool! not to see and stop it before it was too late! She's lost forever; and never knew, and cared not, if I loved her. His boyish, unthinking, ignorant fancy she values more than the strength and depth of such love as mine. But love or not,' he cried, starting up, 'he shall not have her! Curse him I'd rather see him dead, and her, than man and wife.'

"When he had said that he stopped and listened. Was not that the sound of mocking, jeering laughter? But in another moment he drew a breath, and laughed somewhat nervously. It was only the mill-wheel creaking a little on its axle. A little oil would set that all right.

"Meanwhile the girl and the young man sat together on the margin of the pool, and discussing whether each other's eyes or the water were the clearer.

"'Father says you used to live in this pool,' said he smiling at her. 'Do you ever intend to go back thither?'

"'Not until I see you floating down the fall there to fetch me,' replied she. And then they both laughed, but shivered at the same moment, they know not why.

"'I shall speak to father to morrow,' said he, and put his arm around her waist. 'Why, by this time next year we shall be old married people!' She hid her blush on his shoulder; his arms seemed to be her only refuge from him. Just then a harsh discordant sound struck upon their ears, causing them to start uneasily.

"'What was it?' asked the girl with a slight tremor in her voice. 'Was that a laugh or a groan?'

"'Nothing but a rusty axle,' he replied, kissing her assuredly. But as he strode homeward across the field his face was serious, and he did not whistle as usual.

"As for the girl, she clambered down the steep path, met the miller at the door, kissed him as was her wont, and so to bed. But she rested uneasily, and there was a burning pain in her right cheek. It was where his lip had touched her, but she never thought of that.

"And the miller slept not at all, but paced up and down his room; and at last opened the door and went out into the night. There stood the wheel, black and silent, like a sullen enemy waiting for him. For a long time he stood gazing at it, bound by a strange fascination. It seemed as if the evil in his heart were attracted by some kindred spirit in the wheel, dragging down his whole nature with a power at once irresistible and detestable. Finally he tore himself away, and regained his room; but the wrinkles had deepened on his face, and his eyes were hollow and bloodshot. He was something quite different already from the miller of that morning before.

"The next day, the miller and his son sat on the bench in the sun, close to where the great wheel revolved, and the white foam rushed down the tail-race. But the sun did not reach their hearts. A heavy cloud overshadowed them.

"'Never!' said the old man, with an oath. 'I'd rather see your body broken on that wheel, and yonder white foam tinged with your blood, than know you were her husband!' As he spoke the wheel broke forth once more into a discordant scream, as of devilish merriment. It had grown rusty again. The young man rose, with a frown on his brow and lips set.

"'So be it!' he said. 'But she is mine in this world and the next. And what she has given you will, by your misuse of it, become the very means of your destruction!' So saying he turned and climbed the steep path, and disappeared across the plank bridge. The old man gazed after him in silence. 'What she has given you!' he repeated. 'Does he mean the talismanic necklace, or the filial love, of which, perhaps, it is but the symbol?' Then he laughed scornfully. 'I talk like a fool,' said he, 'believing the fantastic tales whereby I baffle the idle curiosity!'

"The young girl, who, standing trembling within, had heard the words that had passed, fled to her room, locked the door and flung herself weeping on the bed. Yet her tears were not so bitter as the dry eyes of the old man.

"Thereafter the miller's household was as gloomy as it heretofore had been cheerful. The son came no more to the mill, and the girl moved about silent and pale-faced. But one day the miller, who watched her closely, saw an unwonted flush on her cheeks, and she seemed pre-occupied and abstracted. The same afternoon, as he was standing by the wheel, he looked upward toward the fall, and saw her standing on the plank bridge and waving her handkerchief as if to one at a distance. And from her handkerchief, as she waved it, he saw fall a small fold of white paper. It dropped into the stream, hurried down to the wheel, which caught it and whirled it round as if in triumph, and cast it in the foam at his feet. He picked it up and unfolded it. It was a note from his son to the girl, bidding her wait for him that night by the mill-wheel, and that he would take her where they would be married and happy. As he read, an evil smile broke out upon his face. When he had finished it he went slowly into the house, and sat down at his table and rested his head on his hands and thought. At last an idea seemed to strike him. He got up and began to move about the house, looking behind the doors, in out and of the house corners, and on high shelves; he was searching for something evidently. After awhile he found what he sought—nothing but a rusty old handsaw. He took it into his chamber, and sharpened and oiled it.

"None of the three slept that night. The mill was not stopped off as usual at sundown; the miller remarking he had an extra job on hand, announced his intention of keeping it running till morning. Shortly after dark he went out quietly by himself, empty-handed, to all appearances; but he carried something buttoned up underneath his coat. The girl took the opportunity to collect together whatever belonged to her and pack it into a small bundle; then she sat down by the window and waited. Once, through the din of the mill-wheel, she thought she heard a grating sound, faint but sharp, coming apparently from the direction of the plank bridge over the fall; but it soon ceased and was forgotten. Not long after the miller returned, pale and haggard, and crept silently into his room. A great tremor had taken possession of him: he shuddered perpetually from head to foot, and his very teeth chattered. He tried to lie down and rest, but could not; he paced the room uneasily, occasionally pausing to listen intently. Once he had his hand upon the door, as if about to rush forth and—but ere he could throw it open a fearful sound as of screaming laughter echoed through the house; Pooh! it was only that rusty wheel again, sounding the louder because of the stillness of the night.

"A long time passed. The girl opened the door of her room gently, and stepped lightly out of the house. She looked up toward the bridge and listened; but what with the darkness of the night and the din of the wheel she could hear and see but little. So she sat down upon the bench and waited. It was time for him to come.

"And he was coming! He had left his cottage and crossed the meadow, and was now hurrying along the narrow path on the ridge. Already he could hear the rush of the fall, and saw the gleam of the pool above. In another moment they would be together; his foot was on the plank bridge.

"At that moment the girl started up from the bench, and her heart ceased to beat; she stood rigid, her eyes peering through the night. The miller, in his room, was sitting with a necklace of shells in his hands; he was on the point of raising it to his lips. He dropped it and fell to the floor, and tried to stop his ears in vain.

"For a terrible cry broke upon the darkness, making itself heard above the din of the wheel and the dash of the water fall. Ere the cry was half uttered, however, it stopped suddenly, and never again was taken up; but something, surely, was coming down the fall—a queer, shapeless object, rolling over and over, catching now and then against a rock or snag, slipping away again, and hurrying onward and downward in mad haste—a dark, heavy object, with loosened limbs and white, gleaming face; only that in the temple was a jagged, bleeding hole, where it had struck a rock. Down it came, faster and faster; the girl saw it coming, and stood below waiting for it. Now, with a rush, it came upon the wheel, and the wheel caught it, and whirled it round, and ground it down, and broke it, screaming all the while with devilish glee.

"The old man had crept out, and saw the broken body beneath the wheel, and the foam in the tail-race red with blood. Then, for the first time it seemed as though the wheel spoke to him, reiterating over and over again, with the malice of a fiend, 'You have your wish! you have your wish! you have your wish!' Yes, his wish.

"The girl, meanwhile, stood motionless and silent. She did not scream; there were no tears in her eyes; but at length she laughed softly to herself.

"'I told him I'd go back when he came for me over the fall,' said she. 'Now he has come, and I must keep my promise.' Then, without looking at the old man, who stood stricken with a double horror, she glided swiftly away, and up the steep pathway, and so disappeared forever; no one saw her again. Something, indeed, that had belonged to her, was found afterward lying at the bottom of the clear pool, with upturned face; but the bright young girl never returned to claim it.

"Little else was ever found. What other mysteries the brook knew, it babbled only to the river, which in turn, confided them to the ocean, and that was the end. Only, the next morning, a fittle boy playing on the river-bank below, found a fine large piece of plank lying in the drift, one end of which had been freshly sawed almost off, and then broken. It was a prize! He dragged it to the neighboring frog pond, and fitted it up as a raft, on which he ferried himself across. How should he know that a human being had crossed all the way over from time to eternity on that plank only the night before? So the old man was quite alone—except for the mill-wheel.

"Everybody pitied him—such a terrible misfortune!—and his mind seemed affected. He seldom spoke to any one, and withdrew himself generally from sight. But it was whispered that he had been seen sitting on the bench near the mill-wheel, which he always kept going, talking to it in a wild random way, and moaning and cursing. Ever and anon the wheel would seem to answer him with a quivering scream, but whether of rage, terror, or laughter, none could tell. That, of course

The Columbian.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Friday, June 28, 1872.

Horace Greeley.

Until Indiana wheeled into the support of the Cincinnati movement, we deemed the nomination of Horace Greeley at the coming Baltimore Convention impossible. Since then, State after State has taken the same action, and now we have no doubt that Greeley and Brown will be nominated by the Democrats at Baltimore on the first ballot, and by over a two-thirds vote. We are convinced, however, that we can win with Greeley, and, if he is nominated, will give him our heartiest support. His election would substitute a fair and honest government in lieu of the present corrupt and imbecile administration. It would restore civil law and prosperity to the Southern States—now held under military bondage—would insure stability at home, and peace with foreign nations.

Nor would it prove destructive to our organization. There is nothing in the Cincinnati platform to which just exceptions can be taken by us. It deals with current questions of public interest, and buries out of sight dead issues irrevocably settled, and which our party would not resurrect. If by the aid of our nearly three millions of voters peace is brought to the country, integrity to the administration of public affairs, fuller protection to property, and larger liberty secured to the citizens, we will have accomplished a result which will not only popularize our organization, but will attract to it independent and honest men everywhere.

By the aid of this Liberal movement we can also carry States in which we are now in the minority, and thus secure our candidates for Governor, Congressmen and the Legislatures, and they in turn will give us Democratic U. S. Senators.

The Republican party recruited its strength from the Whigs and the War Democrats, and were not afraid to give position to such men as Butler, Forney, Logan, and Dix. We should be as wise as they, and when an opportunity like this presents itself, *and if success can be achieved in no other way*, it would be folly to cast it aside. By a coalition with the Liberals we have redeemed Virginia, Georgia, Tennessee, and Missouri, and in no instance was the party sacrificed in those States. Let us now repeat these tactics on a larger scale.

A bolt from the Baltimore nomination would be worse than folly,—*it would be suicide* and direct aid to Cameron and Grant. *It would lose us* every Northern State, and perpetuate the power of Radicalism. Our organization would be rent in twain and military rule, corruption and violation of fundamental law would be more rife than ever. We will rally to the State ticket, and rescue Pennsylvania, we will rally around Geeeley and Brown, if nominated, and rescue the Union. If honest Republicans are justified in aiding us in destroying the Cameron Ring rule in this State, *we* are justified in aiding Liberal Republicans in destroying the Grant despotism.

Grant's Reform.

If Mr. President Grant has any marked characteristic, beyond a taste for horses and low company, it is an utter contempt for public opinion, even when that opinion is but another name for decency and honesty. His latest exploit in this line is just performed, and, although the people are very well used to his defiance of everything honorable and decent, we will publish it for future use. At the recent session of Congress a rascal named W. T. Clark who had been defeated for Congress in one of the districts of Texas by Mr. Giddings, appeared in Washington armed with a lying certificate from the scallawag Governor of Texas and actually took Giddings' seat. The proceeding was so outrageous that even the House could not quite stomach it and towards the end of the session Clark, on an unanimous report of the Committee on elections, was ejected. Think of it—kicked out with ignominy from such a body of men as composed the last House of Representatives. Did W. T. Clark sink beneath the weight of his disgrace? Not to any great extent he didn't. He knew a trick worth two of that; he went to that earnest advocate of reform, Ulysses Grant and Grant actually turned out the postmaster of the largest town in Texas and put Clark in his place. Rewarding him, in other words, for doing what ought to have resulted in a term in the State's prison.

It is perfectly unnecessary to enlarge upon such a topic. The appointment of Clark was an insult to every honest man in the United States, and Mr. Grant's action whether the result of dense ignorance of what constitutes decency or in defiance of public feeling was positively brutal, as have been scores of his previous actions and as will be others until he is thrown headlong from his place of power.

"Reading out of the Party" is a dangerous experiment,—it makes the men **"read out"** pugnacious. By the time our opponents have "read out" the *Tribune*, *Press*, *Sun*, *Inquirer*, and a host of other papers; and have excommunicated Greeley, Fenton, Foster, Schurz, Trumbull, Sumner, Forney, McClure, and their friends, they will have **"read out"** all the brains of their party, and have instead Butler, Grant, Cameron, Evans, and a corps of rotten and corrupt office holders.

The Beaver *Radical* appears extremely willing to earn the fame of a common liar by reiterating the state printer's falsehood that Mr. Hartley, the Democratic candidate for auditor general was "twice arrested by General Couch for giving aid and comfort to the enemy." The *Radical* knows this is an arrant falsehood, as does the *State Journal*, its mendacious inventor.

The Independent Press.

Nothing has proved more futile than the attempt to break down an independent and incorruptible newspaper. Tammany tried to smother the *World* when it attacked its corrupt rule; fanatics preached a crusade against the *Tribune* when Horace Greeley hailed Jeff Davis; and even the *Republican* of this place gained strength in the attempt of some of its early supporters to ruin it.

Just now the Cameronians have taken the heavy contract of crippling the Philadelphia *Press*, but the result will astonish them. The people will endorse a movement the object of which is to break down a Ring which has disgraced our State, and attempted to force common thieves and scoundrels into positions of trust and honor. And the *Press* finds itself endorsed by such able, outspoken papers as the Scranton *Republican*, Wayne *Citizen*, and the Lancaster *Express*, *Inquirer* and *Enterprise*.

We would commend the following extract to the Post Master of this place who edits the *Republican*.

Our only danger, and the only element that bodes Grant and Wilson evil in November, is about fifteen hundred corrupt politicians, all told. These are threatening the independent and honest Republicans, who have resolved to defeat a part of the State ticket, with the defeat of Grant if they do not bow to their dictation and acquiesce in the selection of the men they have chosen to rule over this grand old commonwealth and control its finances.

The threats of these men would be impotent and meaningless but for the fact that the entire machinery of our politics is in their hands, and the knowledge we have that they will hesitate at nothing to accomplish their base ends. They are acquainted with the Tweed-like methods of defeating popular will by ballot-box stuffing and repeating, and they have a long purse and a flexible conscience. They openly boast upon the streets that they will count in their man if the majority against him be not too great. If, as we expect, in the event that they do not yield to the demand of the people and remodel their ticket, the seal of condemnation is set upon them by an overwhelming majority, they say they will retaliate upon the independent Republicans, who have never faltered in their devotion to the party and who are true to Grant, but who will no longer submit to the rule of crime and incompetency, by voting for Greeley and counting him in November. This is their programme, and a nicely-laid, clever scheme it is, and worthy of the men.

But will it win? Will the people of Pennsylvania, upon whose rights and independence these men have been yearly encroaching until they think that the Republican voters of the State are but slaves to do their bidding and ratify their will, allow these unscrupulous and corrupt tricksters to succeed? We think not. We know they recognize the disgrace and danger of continuing the rule of the men who are attempting to rear a Tammany Hall in Philadelphia. They are faithful, both to their country and their party, and they realize that the men who are engaged in this plot are a danger to the one and a disgrace to the other.

One word to those individuals who have already "read The *Press* out of the party." You have too long sheltered yourselves behind the cause of Republicanism; your only conception of its ideas is office, of its success the gratification of your abnormal appetite for plunder, and it is about time that you retired from your assumed leadership. The Republican party can work out its mission without your assistance. Your *great prototype Tammany is dissolved* like the baseless fabric of a vision, with several wrecks behind, some of whom are fugitives in a foreign land, and others candidates for a prison cell. Its fate should be your warning.

Mr. Buckalew addressed a meeting at Bolton's Hotel, Harrisburg, on Monday night last, in the midst of a heavy fall of rain. A large crowd had heard of his arrival in Harrisburg and assembled, despite the storm to hear him speak. In the course of his remarks, which were brief he made use of the following significant language:

Gentlemen, I accepted the position of candidate before the people for the office of governor of this state because I was convinced that men holding my opinions, my views upon public affairs, were necessary in the state government—I mean men who go into public life without any intention to make profit for themselves. [Great applause.] But, gentlemen, I repeat, I shall not detain you long in this storm. People often expect to hear at a political meeting of this kind a good deal of strong language, denunciation and abuse, but I have to say to you to-night that there is not an audience in this commonwealth that will listen to me expecting to be fed with that kind of material that will not be disappointed. I shall go among the people speaking out, and I hope speaking with some effect, to men of all political opinions, for the purpose of crushing the corrupt ring that now rules the state. I feel that this result will be reached, because the people have taken this business in their own hands, and they will execute it. The political influence that has seized upon this proud commonwealth of ours, is an influence which is both corrupt and insolent, and must be put down. It has prostituted public office, it has forgotten duty and looks only to gain. And beyond our own state this poisonous influence has extended its corrupting hand. By what hand is the patronage of the United States government distributed in Pennsylvania? By the same influence which has settled your account in the auditor general's department. By the same influence which filched a seat in the United States senate in 1857. By the same influence which attempted to buy a second election in 1863, but was thwarted through the choice, by a majority of one vote, of the individual who now addresses you. It is the same corruupt power which, by a shameful combination in the legislature, is charged to have secured a U. S. senator and a state treasurer in 1869, and is looking forward to the election of another United States senator in 1873 by the same agencies. I could not refuse the use of my name in this great work of reform when solicited by people of all parties; and what I have to say to you is that your cause is just, and that the people, on the second Tuesday of October next, will render a decision more salutary in political affairs than ever was rendered before by the people of Pennsylvania.

FUN AHEAD.—The *Press* denounces the Harrisburg *Telegraph* as "a synonym all over the Commonwealth for everything that is vile and venal in our politics, the organ of the original Boss Tweed and the property of the person who furnishes the Pennsylvania Legislature with stationery." This last clause is "the most unkindest cut of all." "The original Boss Tweed" is good! The Forney and Cameron feud promises to become interesting. If the Republicans elect a majority of our state Legislature in October, the Senatorial contest next Winter will be a very lively, if not lovely affair. Unquestionably, there's fun ahead.—*Phil. Day.*

Mr. Sumner demonstrated that Grant was not fit for re-nomination; it remains to the people to declare that he is not fit for re-election. And they will do it.—*Theodore Tilton.*

The Tariff.

The Stamp Taxes That Have Been Abolished by Congress.

For the benefit of our readers we give here a list of the stamp taxes that are to be abolished by the new tax and tariff bill which goes into effect on the 1st of October next:

Contracts for insurance against accidental injuries.
Affidavits.
All agreements or contracts, or renewals of the same.
Appraisements of value or damage, or for any other purpose.
Assignments of a lease, mortgage, policy of insurance or anything else.
Bills of exchange, foreign, inland, letters of credit, or anything of that kind now taxed by stamps.
Bills of lading and receipts in the United States, or for anywhere else.
Bills of sale of any kind.
Bonds of indemnification of any kind.
Bond of administrator or guardian, or anything that has the name of bond in it, and now taxed by stamp.
Brokers' notes.
Certificates of measurement of anything.
Certificates of stock, profits, damage, deposit or any other kind of certificate now taxed by stamp.
Charter, or its renewal, or a charter-party of any kind.
All contracts or agreements.
Conveyance, any part of the work of conveying.
Entry for consumption, warehousing, or withdrawal.
Gaugers' returns.
Indorsement of any negotiable or not negotiable instrument.
Insurance policies, contracts, tickets, renewals, etc., (life, marine, inland and fire.)
Lease. All through the lease list is abolished.
Legal documents. Writ or other process, confession of judgment, cognovit, appeals, warrants, etc., letters of administration, testamentary, etc.
Manifests at custom house, or anywhere else, for any purpose.
Mortgage, of any kind.
Passage ticket, to any place in the world.
Pawners' checks.
Power of attorney for any purpose.
Probate of will, of any kind.
Promissory note for anything.
Protest of any kind.
Quit claim deed.
Receipt. Now generally exempt, and if included in present law in any case, will be hereafter exempt.
Sheriff's return.
Trust deed.
Warehouse receipt.
Warrant of attorney.
Weigher's return of any character.

Legislative Nominations.

The importance of sending true and tried men to the Legislature cannot be questioned a moment. There is so much fraud and corruption there, so many swindling methods of forcing legislation, that integrity, and constant vigilance alone can defeat it. Many excellent men have already been renominated, and some few "pinchers" and "roosters." Indirectly we learn that the people of Lehigh County are endeavoring to induce Hon. Adam Woolever, their late Representative to be a candidate for renomination. We trust that he will not decline, and that his constituents will recognize his great merit and return him with an increased majority. He always held a front rank among the debaters of the House and no one had a better reputation for honesty and square dealing. If re-elected, Lehigh would have a faithful and capable Representative, and the *Democratic party a good speaker* and an excellent parliamentarian.

Democratic Conventions.

The Nebraska Democratic Convention met on Thursday of last week endorsed the Cincinnati platform, and instructed its delegates to vote as a unit for Greeley and Brown.

The Kentucky Democratic Convention, which met same day, instructed its delegates to the Baltimore Convention "to unite with all the elements of opposition to Grant's election." Electors were nominated favoring "Greeley and Brown."

The Democratic Convention of Arkansas adjourned Friday last after endorsing the Cincinnati platform, and instructing its delegates to Baltimore to vote for Greeley and Brown.

The Alabama Democratic Convention has adjourned, after adopting a resolution declaring that under existing circumstances the National Democratic Convention ought not to make nominations in opposition to those made at Cincinnati.

The California Democratic Convention met endorsed the Cincinnati platform, and recommended its delegates to Baltimore to take such action as may secure the co-operation of all parties opposed to General Grant.

The Democratic State Convention of Minnesota, unanimously adopted resolutions accepting the Cincinnati platform and candidates, and instructing its delegates to the Baltimore Convention to vote for Greeley and Brown.

The Democratic State Convention of Maryland met at Baltimore and chose delegates to the National Democratic Convention. Among the delegates are Hon. Montgomery Blair and ex Gov. Thomas. A resolution was offered instructing the delegates to vote for the endorsement of Greeley and Brown and the Cincinnati platform. The resolution was received "with great applause, both from the members and the galleries," but pending action upon it, a motion to adjourn *sine die*, was carried.

NEWS

During a fire in a drug store in New York city, on Saturday morning, explosions occurred, and 20 men were injured, several fatally.

A collision occurred on the Pittsburg, Washington and Baltimore Railroad, near Connellsville, Pa., on Saturday, by which two railroad employees were instantly killed, and one was fatally injured. Seventeen passengers were injured, of whom several are expected to die.

A terrible disaster occurred on the Grand Trunk Railroad, near Belleville, Canada, on Friday night. The locomotive of an express train going east was thrown from the track, and two cars, filled with passengers, were piled up into the engine. On Monday evening the list of dead numbered 30, and of 65 injured not more than five or six were expected to live.

The case of Dr. Houard has at last been officially settled between the governments of Spain and the United States. The government waives the right of claiming Dr. Houard as an American citizen, placing the ground of its action upon friendly intercession for Dr. Houard, to whom the Spanish government agrees to grant an amnesty.

A demand for funds has already been made by the State Central Committee on the National Radical Committee to assist the ring ticket in Pennsylvania in carrying the election in October. It is put on the plea that a defeat in October means a defeat for Grant in November. But Grant, it is stated, is opposed to contributing for the October election on the ground that there is a split in the party, and that all the sinews of war should be reserved for the November contest when he is vain enough to think he can unite the party and win the day.

The Real Platform of the Philadelphia Convention.

Pennsylvania was the state and Philadelphia the city on which Grant could best rely as the scene of the packed convention. It was under Pennsylvania management, Forney, McMichael and Cameron being the leaders, and the man that Pennsylvania chose to represent it on the national committee was the master of its royal platform. It is found in a letter of which this a literal copy:

"TREASURY DEPARTMENT, PENNSYLVANIA, HARRISBURG, March, 1867.
—*My Dear Tilton:* Allow me to introduce you to my particular friend, Mr. George O. Evans. He has a claim to some consideration that he wishes you to help him in. Put him through as you would me. *He understands addition, division, and silence.*

"Yours,
"W. H. KEMBLE.

"To Tilton J. Colby, e q., Washington, D. C."

That is it: Addition, division and silence. Grant is a sphinx—a well-behaved and epaulletted sphynx. He knows what to add to his own fortune, how to divide among his own family and how to keep silence. Murphy and Lott, the speculators in French arms, Robeson and the heads of the navy bureaus, the postmaster general when dealing with mail contracts, the senatorial cabal with distributing lands to railroads or bounties to steamships, understand and practice on the golden rule of addition, division and silence.

That was the real platform of the office-holders' convention, not the platitudes of Curtis, nor Wendell Phillips' demagogueism nor the trickster phrases of the committee. The Keystone State and its sandstone candidate are settled down on the solid foundation of addition, division and silence!—*Albany Argus.*

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR
CHARLES R. BUCKALEW,
OF COLUMBIA COUNTY,

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL:
WILLIAM HARTLEY,
OF BEDFORD COUNTY.

FOR JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT:
JAMES THOMPSON,
OF ERIE COUNTY.

FOR CONGRESSMEN AT LARGE:
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ESTATE OF PETER GEARHART, DEC'D.
Letters testamentary on the estate of Peter Gearhart, late of Beaver township, Columbia county deceased, have been granted by the Register of Columbia county, to Allen Mann, Executor to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands against said estate, will make them known to the Executor without delay.
ALLEN MANN,
June2?72-4w Executor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
ESTATE OF MARIA KAUFF, DEC'D.
Letters of administration on the estate of Maria Kauff late of Benton twp., Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to I. K. Kleckbaum administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned, administrator, without delay.
I. J. KRICKBAUM
June 28--72-6w. Administrator.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
ESTATE OF ABRAM YOUNG, DEC'D.
Letters testamentary on the estate of Abram Young late of Benton township, Columbia county, dec'd, have been granted to the Register of said county to Jacob S. Evans. All persons having claims against the estate are requested to present them to the Executor in Columbia county. Those indebted to the estate either on note, judgment, or book account will make payment to the Executor without delay.
JACOB S. EVANS,
June 28, 1872 6w.* Executor.

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EST. TE OF JOHN C. DOTY, DEC'D.
Letters of Administration on the estate of John C. Doty, late of Benton township, Columbia county, d ceased, have been granted by the Register of sa d county to I. K. Kleckbaum Benton twp. All perso s having claims against the estate of the decease are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrator, without delay.
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To Chandler Eves,	$ 7 00
To Jackson Robbins,	25 00
To Ellis Eves,	10 00
To Wm. Johnson,	10 00
To John McMichael,	10 00

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To Hiram Ash,	$ 15 00
To Joel Keefer,	10 00

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To Samuel Rimby,	$ 70 00

These damages will be confirmed absolute, at September Term, unless exceptions should be filed against them. We intend giving the public an opportunity to know what is being done and if all are satisfied it is supposed it is all right.
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WM. SHAFFER,
Commissioners.
Commissioners' Office,
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Attest, WM. KRICKBAUM, Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration have been granted by the Register of Wills of Columbia county to the undersigned upon the estate of William L. Scouler, late of Espy in said county, now deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are required to make payment and all persons who have claims against said estate to make them known to the undersigned resident in the city of Philadelphia, or to M. C. McCollum at the town of Espy aforesaid.
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TOWNSHIPS.	Value of Seated Lands.	Money.	Furniture.	Horses.	Value.	Cattle.	Value.	Public Loans and Stocks.	Amount of Tax Value.	Carriages.	Value.	Watches, Clocks, Plate, &c.	Amount of Tax Value at 3 mills.	Value.	Clocks.	State Tax.	Bog Tax.	County Taxes.
Beaver	101,715	5,450		178	6,090	90	2,250		10,710			12,375	37 12			51 10	63 00	53 00
Benton	102,960	1,500		187	11,770	97	2,425		14,195			17,475	52 42			67 94	72 87	61 00
Berwick	97,425	10,000		217	8,000	120	3,000	1,035	12,035	2	18	17,475	52 42	2	2	106 58	13 00	90 00
Briarcreek	87,480	1,000		171	6,000	80	2,000		9,000			12,000	36 00			92 01	10 00	77 00
Brown	101,700	1,000		207	8,280	110	2,750		12,030			17,475	52 42			121 31	13 00	101 00
Catawissa	123,570	11,500		209	8,360	110	2,750		22,610			17,475	52 42			123 70	60 5	104 00
Centralia	101,955			200	8,000	110	2,750		10,705			12,000	36 00			83 80	28 00	70 00
Centre	99,870			200	8,000	110	2,750		10,620			12,000	36 00			109 37	64 00	92 00
Conyngham	98,775			4	140	2	50		98,965			5,475	16 42			5 42	52 00	4 00
Franklin	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			13 72	44 00	11 00
Fishingcreek	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			87 87	76 00	73 00
Forest	98,775			196	7,840	110	2,750		10,590			12,000	36 00			111 04	100 00	93 00
Hemlock	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			51 87	51 00	43 00
Jackson	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			25 15	60 00	21 00
Locust	98,775			181	7,240	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			83 14	71 00	69 00
Madison	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			51 31	44 00	43 00
Mifflin	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			113 38	64 00	95 00
Millville	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			83 87	71 00	70 00
Montour	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			83 87	71 00	70 00
Mt. Pleasant	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			83 87	71 00	70 00
Orange	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			64 00	51 00	53 00
Pine	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			83 87	71 00	70 00
Roaringcreek	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			83 87	71 00	70 00
Scott	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			83 87	71 00	70 00
Sugarloaf	98,775			183	7,320	100	2,500		10,595			12,000	36 00			83 87	71 00	70 00
Total	2,267,700	30,450		3,912	156,480	2,267	56,675	1,035	2,512,340	2	18	297,375	892 12	2	2	2,217 49	1,787 00	1,615 00

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Friday, June 28, 1872.

FRANK COOLEY,
ASSISTANT EDITOR.

Railroad Time Table.

LACKAWANNA & BLOOMSBURG R. R.

	North.	South.
Mail	12:02 A. M.	5:26 P. M.
Express	4:30 A. M.	10:55 P. M.
Accom	5:56 P. M.	9:32 A. M.

CATAWISSA R. R. FROM RUPERT STATION.

Going North.	Going South.
1:30 P. M.	11:11 A. M.

LOCAL.

A horse belonging to George Boss of Locust township was struck by lightning and instantly killed on Friday night last.

The Bloomsburg Brass Band will give a Ball on the evening of the Fourth in Brower's Building.

THE M. & L. B. A. had a grand parade in Wilkes Barre on June 19th. The procession was half a mile long. Speeches were made by Hon. H. B. Wright and others.

THE new Hidley Church in Center twp. will be dedicated on the 14th of July. Services to commence precisely at 10 A. M. A general invitation to attend is cordially given.

THE river is quite high at this place from the recent heavy rains, sufficiently so for rafting. In a neighboring county there has been a large loss of logs caused by the bursting of a boom by flood.

DANVILLE and Milton editors raise their voices in denunciation of the practice indulged in, by certain engineers of the L. & B. and Catawissa Railroads, of blowing the whistles of their engines to an irritating extent.

AT the session of United States District Court in Williamsport, last week, on motion of S. Knorr Esq. O. B. Melick Esq. of this county was admitted to practice in the court.

THE Sunday School of the Presbyterian Church of this place, held its picnic on Thursday of last week. The day was clear, but exceedingly warm, and the children enjoyed themselves as only children can on such occasions.

THE Clinton county *Republican* says that some of the farmers of that county have been obliged to plant their corn the third time on account of the ravages of the cut worm.

THE fashionable shoe for summer promenaders is made of French kid, cut about three-quarters high, fastened with buttons, with toes almost square, and heels about an inch high.

THE Lecburg *Washingtonian* says "Mr C. R. Paxton, of Pennsylvania, on Monday last purchased the Veale estate, on the Potomac, about twelve miles east of this town. It contains 1,200 acres. He paid $12 per acre."

DANVILLE is getting to be an immense place. The streets are becoming so numerous that the *Morning American* calls on the borough fathers to put up the names of the aforesaid streets on the corner buildings. A directory will be the next thing demanded.

IT may interest some of our lady readers to know that the Dolly Varden dress has failed ignominiously in London. "No lady" says the *Queen*, the ladies' newspaper, "will hereafter disfigure herself by wearing one of these vulgar costumes."

THE Plymouth *Star* accuses the Bloomsburg *Republican* of publishing an old poem of Longfellow's as "original." We have noticed but one "original" article in the *Republican* for some time past and that was a false accusation of Mr. Buckalew.

THE best scientific scholars of our country say that never before in any year has there been such a force of electricity in the air as has been noticeable in the last eight or nine months, and that the cerebral diseases now so prevalent are caused by the highly electric atmosphere.

A GRAND Festival will be held in the new M. E. Church near Numedia on the coming Fourth of July. A capital dinner will be furnished and a good time is guaranteed. No means will be left untried to make the occasion the most pleasant, of the kind, ever held in that neighborhood.

FRIDAY evening, June 21st, the vicinity of "Catawissa Hills" was visited by five showers of rain, accompanied by thunder and lightning. The house of Nathan Kodenhauder was struck by the electric fluid but not seriously damaged.

THE coming Fourth of July is the hundredth anniversary of the town of Sunbury and will be duly celebrated. Hon. Alexander Jordan has been selected as the orator of the day and Simon Cameron and other public men are expected to be present. All the railroads connecting with the town have consented to issue excursion tickets and a very large attendance is expected.

THE seventeen year locusts have made their appearance in vast numbers in different parts of the country. The Sunbury *Guard* speaks of them as literally covering the trees in the vicinity of that town. The curious have discovered the letters N and W on the wings of those insects and are disquieting themselves over the probable significance of the letters.

LABOR papers in other States are congratulating us upon the repeal of the Conspiracy Laws in Pennsylvania.—*Pittston Gazette.*

They are a little premature, as the Republican Governor of this State, has thus far neglected or refused to sign the bill. Whether he will or not remains to be seen.

THE Festival season has fairly commenced and may be expected to continue for an indefinite period. There were two on the closing days of last week, one in Cadman's hall and one in Rupert's block. Both were well filled and we doubt not made money. We cannot positively state whether strawberries and cream taste better when eaten for church and charitable purposes but a large number of people do think so and perhaps they are right.

THE walls of the new hotel are rising slowly but surely. The wet weather of late has interfered greatly with the progress of the work.

WE rejoice to see that the Commissioner of Highways is having repaired those places on Main Street whose condition was such as to render the safety of light vehicles questionable.

THE present mail arrangements are exceedingly inconvenient and it is to be hoped will be changed soon. As matters are now, no mails are received until after twelve o'clock and thus the business of the day is crowded into the afternoon. Formerly letters and papers were received from Harrisburg at an early hour in the morning and such should be the case now.

The Junk in *Republican*, a radical paper, in speaking of Mr. Buckalew says: "He is the ablest, if not the strongest man, and there is no use in denying the fact that it will hurry General Hartranft to beat him."

A LADY in Indiana has been granted a divorce on the plea that her husband had refused to assist her on washing days.—*Ex.*

Gentlemen who intend visiting Indiana and who are constitutionally opposed to assisting at the wash tub, would do well to cut out the above notice and paste it in their hats for ready reference.

Our eastern farmers little appreciate the attractions of cultivating the soil in the west. In Iowa, for instance, the sons of toil are fighting the potato bug, chinch bug, cut worm, army worm, gophers, ground squirrel, mice, rats, meadow mole, caterpillar, curculio, blackbirds, mischievous and rambling stock.

ON and after July 1,1872, every person who sells or offers for sale manufactured tobacco, snuff, or cigars, except manufacturers of those articles who sell only their own products at the place of production, will be required to pay a special tax at the rate of $5 per annum without regard to the amount of his annual sales. The exemption of persons whose annual sales do not exceed $100 is repealed by the new law.

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DURING the recent freshet in the river a very large number of shad no doubt came up the Susquehanna river. On Tuesday about 100 were caught at the Dam at this place. They were large, fat and solid, and were sold as high as sixty cents apiece. They were caught at the Gaughler fishery, on the opposite side of the river.—*Sunbury Democrat.*

MR. W. B. KOONS has completed his arrangements for building and began laying brick for his new residence, on Wednesday. The building will be erected on the site of the one destroyed by fire, and will improve the appearance of Fifth street. We wish Mr. Koons better luck in the future with his houses. The fiery element has hitherto seemed to have a spite against him, which it is to be hoped has exhausted itself finally.

NATURE seems determined to make allowance for the want of rain in the spring and has favored us with showers numerous and profuse of late. We should fancy that the springs, wells, and cisterns must be comfortably filled if the very juicy condition of the surface of the ground is any indication. Aqua(ek)tic birds, ducks and "sich," are filled with joy, as are also gentlemen in the milling business, but corn is beginning to cry "hold, enough."

THE small pox is raging so terribly in Mahanoy City that the *Valley Record* urges the town authorities to adopt such measures as may lead the abatement at least of the dread disease. It says "we would be the last to sound a false alarm or to speak before necessity calls for it, but we believe that the time has come and now is, when we must speak out."

THE Beaver Dam, Wisconsin, *Citizen*, announces the death of John Perry, an old citizen and formerly of this County, at the ripe age of 72 years. He was the son of David Perry and was born in Columbia County in 1800. He served ten years or more as Justice of the Peace and was elected Superintendent of Public Schools of the County for two terms. He moved to Wisconsin in 1851 and has since lived in Beaver Dam. At the funeral his coffin was borne to the grave by six elderly men, two of whom were born in the same year as Mr. Perry.

A Pittston paper speaks of a family of wild mutes who live in the woods back of that town, as being in pitiable state of destitution and misery. The family consists of a helpless father, an insane mother and nine children. The oldest daughter died recently from neglect and the effects of a wound inflicted by her idiot brother. It is said that they lived this Spring on moles and roots. The whole story is horrible and the case is one which requires aid. The children should be taken care of, decently fed and clothed and kept at least from the utter degradation in which they now exist. It is surprising that the authorities of Pittston do not take some steps towards the rescue of these unfortunates from their of life barbarism.

LAST week we mildly propounded an inquiry as to the probable action of the citizens of Bloomsburg on the coming Independence Day. As our sanctum has not been densely crowded by enthusiastic parties jubilant over plans for the celebration of the Anniversary of American freedom, we are led to believe that the festivities will be of an individual rather than a public nature. What the causes may be which have led to this lamentable lack of spirit we know not, but it is sufficient to say that the dweller in this town who desires to rejoice in a gregarious manner will have to hie him to Wilkes Barre or Sunbury or bury himself in his own dwelling and seek comfort in thoughts of past glories participated in. N. B.—without fireworks.

IN Judge Elwell's garden, on Third Street, there is to be seen a veritable "bower of roses." Large rose bushes have clambered over the sides and tops of a summer house and completely hidden it from view under a mantle of pink and green. Flowers innumerable and of the most delicate shades have formed a natural roof, and the fallen petals have furnished the house beneath with a fragrant carpet of bright hues. We can fancy nothing more exquisite than this huge bouquet of Nature's own arranging.

ON Thursday last the Grand Jury of the U. S. District Court held in Williamsport, returned a true bill against Daniel F. Seybert, for removing distilled spirits to a place other than a bonded warehouse &c. At the trial on Tuesday the examination of witnesses elicited information of very amusing character, one party stating that the defendant had said he would be able to buy Swoope, the U. S. Prosecuting Attorney, for $300, and that he wouldn't live long, anyhow. Also, that Simon Cameron would prove a stronger man than Swoope, and would be able to set things right etc.

No man can prove aught against the integrity of Gen. Hartranft, and all the malicious insinuations against him in that respect are libels for which the present law is inadequate to provide a penalty.—*Republican.*

The present law does not, it is certain, "provide a penalty" for the charges against Hartranft, on the contrary it affords protection for those making those charges, in that it provides that *the truth* may be given in evidence. The most recent falsehoods in the *Republican*, about the candidates on the Democratic State ticket would seem to indicate that the editor of that sheet does not propose to protect himself by offering legal evidence.

Some one has said that no people can excel the Americans in "the manly art of sitting on a bench and watching eighteen men play base ball," and there is yet another science in which they are profound; it is that commonly known as "bossing a job." A piece of work which requires half a dozen men will usually command the superintendence of about a dozen who watch the proceedings with the utmost interest, occasionally offering a remark but seldom a hand. These self appointed overseers are numerous in every community and doubtless acquire an extensive knowledge of how things should be done and a limited experience in doing them. Their special mission in life seems to be to "learn to labor and to wait"—until somebody else puts their theories into practice.

INSURANCE ELECTION.—At the annual election held at the office of the Lycoming Fire Insurance Company, in Muncy, Tuesday last, for thirteen directors to serve for the ensuing year, the following gentlemen were chosen:

Wm. Whitall, Philadelphia; Joshua Bowman, Muncy; B. F. Hartman, Bloomsburg; Andrew E. Russel, Danville; William Starr, Montoursville; Henry Ecroyd, Muncy Township; Henry Watson, Williamsport; Jacob A. Hazen, Pottsville; William P. I. Painter, Muncy; James M. Bowman, Muncy; Edward Lyon, Williamsport; Richard Rogers, Muncy Township; Mark Halfpenny, Lewisburg.

All the above were members of the old board except Mr. Whitall, who was elected to take the place of Robert Montgomery, deceased.—*Luminary.*

THE Third Annual Exhibition of the Normal School was given on Wednesday night last, and the large hall of the Institute was filled to its utmost capacity. The exercises consisted of music, essays, tableaux, &c., and were conducted with the success which seems always to attend the school on like occasions. The marching, singing and calisthenics of the Model School were capital as were also the Indian Club exercises. It would be invidious to specify a few when all did well. The audience was far from quiet during the opening piece so far in fact as to render the playing of the piano inaudible. This sort of thing is annoying to teachers, students and those hearers who are interested in the exercises. Prof. McMath was presented with a fine gold pen and holder by a number of the students.

THERE are a number of words in the English language, each of which contains the five regular vowels, but it would puzzle any one to think of more than one or two at short notice. The following may be given as examples: Education, Regulation, Regulation, Emulation, Perturbation, Mensuration, Repudiation. Besides these there are several words, each containing all the vowels including the "y." Of these we may mention Revolutionary, Elocutionary and Unquestionably. The word Indivisibility may be noted as a peculiar word, for it contains the letter "i" six times, Mississippi and Tennessee are each spelled with only four different letters of the alphabet, although one contains eleven letters and the other nine. Schnapps, a word of one syllable and eight letters, contains but one vowel. There are no words in the English language of more than eight syllables, and of those containing that number we may mention Incomprehensibility.

IT may be a matter of doubt to some whether swearing at flies, in a strictly business way, is so injurious morally as profanity in other cases, especially when indulged in without due provocation. These insectivorous pests have appeared in vast numbers and opened the summer campaign with an amount of vigor wholly unnecessary and utterly annoying. They are the first creatures on the move in the morning and the last to leave at night, and their time is spent either in appropriating groceries which do not belong to them or in assaulting the proprietors thereof. If there is anything more irritating than the fortieth return of a fly to the identical place on your nose or cheek from which it has been dislodged thirty-nine times before, we are not acquainted with it. Philosophers of the Uncle Toby school assert that flies exist for a good purpose and have much work to do in the way of removing refuse matter. This may be true, but why, oh, why don't they devote themselves strictly to that very creditable pursuit in life instead of rendering horse flesh and human nature vicious and profane. In the forcible language of Josh Billings, Esq., we say "Dern a fli."

Part of the Linden bridge, on the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad, seven miles west of Williamsport, was swept away on Thursday by a flood. This is the bridge that was burned a few weeks since, and partially rebuilt for travel.

Bismark has made his power felt in the West Indies. The Haytians having refused to pay the indemnity due the German merchants of Hayti, a German fleet bombarded the town of Port au Prince for several hours and captured the Haytian fleet. The government having paid the German commander $15,000 on account the latter withdrew his fleet.

IT is a remarkable fact, which probably few of our citizens know, that whilst water can be obtained on the higher ground of this town, say on Rock street, at a depth of twenty feet, it is necessary to dig sixty feet to procure the same on the lower grounds below Main. The question naturally arises as to what becomes of the overflow from the numerous springs on upper Market and Rock streets. It would seem that the wastage of these springs is either absorped into the ground or is carried off diagonally following the line of what was formerly a swamp, the existence of which many of our older townspeople will doubtless remember. The subject is one of interest to the curious.

IN last week's "COLUMBIAN," under the head of "valuations and taxes of each District in Columbia County," the total dog tax should have been $1,501, instead of $752, and the total Militia tax $1,186, instead $593.

We correct the same this week. The statement sets out the amount of each class or kind of property in each District and also the amounts of taxes assessed thereon and with which the collectors are charged. The statement is one that has taken a considerable amount of work, and one in which the taxpayers will feel interested.

There are 4,713 horses and mules and 5,878 head of cattle assessed. The total valuation for county purposes is $5,079,-070. The total County tax is $22,717 40, which is $1 21 more than the total amount would make at 4 mills on the dollar, but the difference comes from the gain of fractions in carrying out amounts.

It often happens that mistakes are made in levying taxes; that some pay too much and others too little on their assessed valuation, but this plan prevents all that. Each page in the assessors book is proved, and when all agree, the total must be right. When officers take as much pains as the commissioners' clerk, Wm. Krickbaum, has in this work, the public can feel satisfied that all is well.

As we approach another political campaign, Democrats and Conservatives ought to again be reminded of the absolute necessity to the cause, of the free and extensive circulation of sound political literature. The traveling speaker who goes from town to town on his mission of arousing the people to a realization of their duties as citizens, is, of course, a powerful engine in the work, but his influence and laboring capabilities are not to be compared for a moment with those of a newspaper. He draws a crowd to a hall or club room, some of whom listen with interest, some of whom permit their attention to be distracted, and some of whom, perhaps, are not able to follow with their minds the rapid train of argument presented. But the newspaper goes into the household. It is read and its contents discussed by the hearthstone, every member of the family sees it, even the women and children, and its views serve to form the settled opinions of the family on political questions. To the partially educated man who is unable, for want of mental training, to take in the whole scope of an orator's argument, it is a more effective worker, for he can imbibe its doctrines slowly, ponder over and digest them, and return to them as often as he loses their connection. A very large portion of our agricultural class are people of this description, men with hard sense but deliberate reasoning powers. If a Democratic journal could be placed in the hands of these voters every week for the ensuing six months of the campaign, who can doubt the wonderful change that might be wrought in public sentiment?—*Ex.*

The following letter has been received from Dr. P. John in relation to the interview recently held by him with a subscriber, to which reference was made in a late number of the COLUMBIAN. We printed the story as we heard it and, of course, with no intention to do the Dr. injustice:

(Office of the North Carolinian.)

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C. June 18, 1872.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN.—As you appear to think the attack made on me some months ago of sufficient interest for a local notice in the COLUMBIAN, I presume you are willing to have and publish the facts.

A series of letters were published in my paper calling attention to the delinquencies of certain local officials. Some of the parties took offence and demanded the name of the writer. The demand, being accompanied with a threat, was not complied with. The parties, too cowardly to execute the threat themselves, induced another to attack me on the street. This was done without warning and with a club. Fortunately I caught and disarmed the man before any serious injury was inflicted.

It did not prevent me from attending to my usual business a single hour, But, resolved to maintain the freedom of the press and vindicate the law, I had him arrested and bound over to Court. He was tried, found guilty and, after a severe reprimand from his Honor the Judge, was fined and imprisoned in the County jail. The cowardly attack so aroused the indignation of the leading citizens of the City, that irrespective of party, they got up a letter denouncing the outrage in unmeasured terms. Thus you will perceive that your "moral" is left with but little force.

Respectfully,
P. JOHN.

THE grading and straightening of the streets of Bloomsburg so far as accomplished have produced a most beneficial effect in the looks of the town. It was to have been expected that here and there cases would occur in which the convenience of individuals would suffer but there has been no more of this sort of thing than is inevitable in public improvements of like nature. We are convinced that when the work is entirely finished all classes of our people will be satisfied. Main Street is not in good condition but it is the thoroughfare which has the most travel and that of the heaviest and most destructive kind.

CANDIDATES.

[All who are announced in this list are pledged to abide by the decision of the Democratic Convention.]

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
CHARLES B. BROCKWAY,
I. COMPBURG.

FOR PROTHONOTARY
JESSE COLEMAN,
BLOOMSBURG.
P. FRANK ZARR,
BLOOMSBURG.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER.
WILLIAMSON H. JACOBY,
BLOOMSBURG.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
ABNER WELSH,
OF ORANGE TOWNSHIP.
WILLIAM LAWTON,
OF GREENWOOD TOWNSHIP.
JOHN SNYDER
OF ORANGE TOWNSHIP.

MARRIAGES.

MARKET REPORTS.

Bloomsburg Market.

Wheat per bushel	$1 [illegible]
Rye "	[illegible]
Oats "	[illegible]
Corn "	[illegible]
Flour per barrel	$[illegible]
Glover seed "	[illegible]
Timothy "	[illegible]
Butter	[illegible]
Eggs	[illegible]
Lard	[illegible]
Potatoes	[illegible]
Dried Apples	[illegible]
Hams	[illegible]
Sides and Shoulders	[illegible]
Land per pound	[illegible]
Hay per ton	[illegible]

DEATHS.

MILLER.—In Fishingcreek twp, on the 15th inst, Willis James Smith, aged 1 yr, 7 months and 11 days.

JONES.—In Center twp, on the 17th inst. Henry F. Jones, aged 7 years 11 days.

BUCHER.—In Lewisburg, near Esther Furnace, May 15th inst. Julia A. Jess, a youthful disciple of Adam, daughter of George and Sarah Deibert, Bucher, aged 19 years, 9 months and 12 days.

COLE.—In Sugarloaf June 1st Rev. Lemon Merrihew Cole, aged 57 years, 9 months and 12 days.

Thou hast lent me darling Lillie
In the spring time of my bloom,
And now he gone to meet me darling
Where we shall live in the tomb.

'Tis no wonder we are lonely
'Tis no wonder we are sad,
Thou hast made one half of my number
We to evermore be glad.

Thou wert lovely as a blossom
In the summer's rosy hue
But now thou art now decending
Beneath the cold blue dew.

And thou hast gone so calmly
Like the dew drop from the flower
Like the golden river's shore.

DIED.—In Centreville on saturday June 15th, Samuel Herrin, son of Harvey J. and Agnes Diefenbach, aged 3 years 5 months.

Lines on the death of Samuel.

Sweet Heavenly thou hast lent me
Here I've had the pleasure of thee,
And the trial that comes to me
He can all our sorrows heal.

Thou hast lent us darling Samuel,
In the spring time of my life and
And our hearts are sad and lonely,
Since we have thee in the tomb.

'Tis no wonder we are lonely,
'Tis no wonder we are sad,
Thou hast made one half of our number
So will we ever more be glad.

Thou wert lovely as a blossom,
In the sweet rosy bloom
That adorn them at the spring,
Fastened up within the tomb.

But thy little feet will journey,
In this world of sin no more,
Nor they press the green hills beside,
By the golden river's shore.

Yet sweet we hope to meet thee,
Where the day of night is not,
Then in heaven with joy to greet thee,
Where no pain nor sorrow's known.

Farewell sweet one, farewell sweet one,
Thou hast gone from this home to rest,
Where sorrows no more will take.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Black, White, Colored and Tinted Kid Gloves, cost only 1.00 per pair, at M. P. Lutz's.

THE SEASIDE.—At Cape May the Columbia House will be ready for guests on Saturday, the 29th of this month. Mr. George J. Bolton, proprietor of Bolton's hotel at Harrisburg and the Washington hotel on Chestnut street, Philadelphia, will again open the Columbia—this being his ninth season at the cape and each season at the same house. For desirable locality, good ocean front, smooth beach and a general line of home comforts let us recommend the popular Columbia House, and for the first ocean bathing on the coast, the best patronized and best frequented seashore home for the summer, let us recommend Cape May. Mr. Bolton informs us his hand has been engaged as usual, and the Columbia will not fail to sust in its well earned reputation for comfort and pleasure.

M. P. Lutz is selling Apollon "A" Muslin at 15 cts. by the yard and 1 lb by the bolt.

The Columbia Iron Works, are making wagon axles of the very best description. Call and see them.

Time and enlightened experience have shown that certain substances formerly used and relied on in medical practice, are unnecessary and dangerous; yet some of those substances have found their way into medicinal compounds. DR. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS, however, contain nothing injurious, being composed exclusively of vegetable substances from California. For all disorders of the liver, kidneys, bladder, skin, and digestive organs, and for purifying the blood, they are the most wonderful remedy known. 26 1w.

A BAD FALLING OUT.—It is indeed a sad spectacle to see, after years of friendship, nature by the hair pulls company with the head. Fortunately the lamentable separation may be easily prevented and the locks more closely united than ever by a timely and systematic use of LYON'S KATHAIRON, the most potent invigorant of the internal economy of its growth and beauty. Its peculiar facility for overcoming promptly obviates the dry and parched condition of the roots of the hair, which is preliminary to its running out, by supplying the precise degree of moisture necessary to its preservation in a healthy state. It is the only true dissolvent and eradicant of dandruff and other impurities of the scalp, and imparts a delightful fragrance to the hair. As a beautifier of the head the Kathairon has no rival. It not only increases the quantity of the hair, but improves its quality immensely, imparting a lustrous appearance and silky texture which are exceedingly attractive.

Old Established Coal Yard.

C. W. NEAL & BRO. Wholesale & Retail Dealers in all sizes of the best qualities of Red and White Ash Coal, at the very lowest market rates. Limeburners supplied at liberal rates with best quality No. 6, coal. For smith fires, in addition to a prime article of lump, we have a first class quality of Bituminous coal, at $6.25 per ton on wharf.

Large stocks of all sizes constantly on hand. Strict personal attention given to the preparation of all our coal. Grain, Lumber and Slabs taken in exchange for coal. Coal delivered to any part of the town. Orders left at McKelvy Neal & Co's. store or at our office, will receive prompt attention. OFFICE & YARDS AT MCKELVY & NEAL'S FURNACE, EAST BLOOMSBURG. Your patronage respectfully solicited.

CASTORIA,—a substitute for Castor oil—a candy paregoric which is pleasant to take and does not distress or gripe, but is sure to operate when all other remedies fail. It is a purely vegetable preparation, containing neither Minerals, Morphine nor Alcohol, the result of fifteen years experimenting by Doctor Samuel Pitcher. It is correctly tasteless and far more effective than Pills, Narcotic Syrups or Castor Oil. By soothing the system it produces natural sleep, and is particularly adapted to crying of teething children. It kills Worms, cures Stomach Ache, Constipation Flatulency and Derangement of the Liver. No family can afford to be without this article. It costs but 50 cents—ask your druggist to get it for you, and he will always keep it. 26w

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

Every nervous Young Man in the Union, will receive, free, a Recipe that will prove a blessing through life, by addressing in confidence,
JOHN B. OGDEN,
Box 5172 P. O. 42 Cedar St., N. Y.
feb. 9-1y.

A PITIFUL CONDITION.—It is a sad thing to pass through life only half alive. Yet there are thousands whose habitual condition is one of languor and debility. They complain of no specific disease; they suffer no positive pain; but they have no relish for anything which affords mental or sensuous pleasure. In nine cases out of ten this state of inanitude and torpor arises from a morbid stomach. Indigestion destroys the energy of both mind and body. When the waste of nature is not supplied by a due and regular assimilation of the food, every organ is starved, every function interrupted.

Now, what does common sense suggest under these circumstances of depression? The system needs rousing and strengthening; not merely for an hour or two, to sink afterward in a more pitiable condition than ever, but surely would do it an ordinary alcoholic stimulant were resorted to but medically and permanently.

How to this desirable object to be accomplished? The answer to this question, founded on the unvarying experience of a quarter of a century, is easily given. Infuse new vigor into the digestive organs by a course of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Do not waste time by administering temporary remedies, but make the system thoroughly regenerate the healthful tone of physical strength and energy, the great organ upon which all the other organs depend for their nature and support.

By the time that a dozen doses of the great vegetable tonic and invigorant have been taken the feeble frame of the dyspeptic will begin to feel its new influence, the appetite will be recalled, and with appetite the capacity to digest what it craves. Persevere until the cure is complete—until healthful blood, as to be the material of flesh and muscle, bone and nerve and brain flows through the channels of circulation, instead of the watery nebulum with which they have heretofore been imperfectly supplied.

June 7—1w

Important Testimony!

The following letters are among the many we are constantly receiving from persons who have been cured by

Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup,
Schenck's Sea Weed Tonic,
AND
Schenck's Mandrake Pills.

Pennsgrove, Salem County, New Jersey.
FEBRUARY 27, 1872.

DR. J. H. SCHENCK, N. E. corner Sixth and Arch streets, Philadelphia.

Respected Sir—I take pleasure in adding my testimony to that of the many others who have been cured by the efficacy of Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup, Sea Weed Tonic, and Mandrake Pills.

Consumption has been hereditary with my family, most of its members having died of it at early ages. My mother and three brothers died at the age of 31, one brother at 27, and my sister at 19.

I was, when about 21 years, seized with fever complaint, which rapidly developed into Pulmonary Consumption. I was compelled to relinquish my employment (that of a blacksmith.)

I prescribed medicine and eminent physicians, but it proved to be of no benefit, but without success, so that my friends were sure that there was no hope of my recovery, for I was reduced from 150 pounds to 101, and was not able to do anything whatever for months.

By what I now look upon as a Providential interposition, I was induced to try your remedies, and after using your Sea Weed Tonic, and oil of cod liver, and thereby was my recovery, that it seemed as though some supernatural power was at work, not to-day I am as well as at any time during the past 7 years, and am 26 pounds heavier, and for some time have been regularly attending to my business, adding me to live to a good old age.

I am thankful to you beyond expression for having called me to a position wherein I am enabled to speak so highly of your medicines. I ever use none. I think they are the best in the world.

I will refer you to numbers of my neighbors who will verify all I have written, and may make use freely of my fellow citizens may desire will be freely and gladly given, upon receipt of stamp for return letter.

JOHN C. HEWITT.

Key West, Fla., Feb. 19, 1872.

DR. J. H. SCHENCK, N. E. cor. Sixth and Arch streets, Philadelphia.

Dear Sir—Please forward, per first steamer, six bottles Sea Weed Tonic and twelve bottles Pulmonic Syrup.

Your medicines are so much value that I cannot be without them in my household, and in case no family should be without them.

I have given them a fair test, and openly declare the benefit received, as they stated.

Very respectfully yours,
W. A. WHITE, M. D.

PHILADELPHIA, March 4, 1872.

DR. J. H. SCHENCK,—

Respected Sir—I take pleasure in awarding to you this certificate of the wonderful cure your Pulmonic Syrup and Sea Weed Tonic produced. My throat and pulmonic tubes were so highly inflamed that it was almost impossible for me to swallow my food.

I was on a visit to my uncle, Mr. Charles Donaldson, of this city, when he persuaded me to procure and use from almost death after all other means had failed, and he having purchased a bottle of your Pulmonic Syrup, and strongly recommended me to try them. I did so, and in one week from the time I commenced taking it was entirely relieved, and am rapidly gaining in flesh and strength, and feel confident that I could soon go to work without any difficulty or pain. I can scarcely find words to express my gratitude for the wonderful cure your medicines have produced upon me, and I deem it but an act of gratitude to give you the acknowledgement of my cure, for the benefit of others.

Yours truly,
RACHEL M. JACOBS,
No. 80 West Thirty-third street, New York.

SCHENCK'S PULMONIC SYRUP, SEA WEED TONIC, and MANDRAKE PILLS.

These are the only medicines that will cure Pulmonary Consumption. Dr. Schenck has been in constant practice over thirty years continually examining lungs, and knows his medicines, and knows they never fail in Consumption. His Mandrake Pills cleanse the liver and stomach; his Sea Weed Tonic dissolves the food, stimulates the coating of the stomach, and makes it digest, and Pulmonic Syrup heals the matter, and nature throws it off without any exertion.

Price of the Pulmonic Syrup and Sea Weed Tonic, $1.50 per bottle, or $7.50 per half dozen. Mandrake Pills 25 cents per box.

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N. E. Corner SIXTH and ARCH Streets,
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And by Druggists and Dealers generally.
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ORDINANCE NO. 6.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 5.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Town Council of the Town of Bloomsburg and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same*, That it shall be unlawful to fire any fire crackers, or squibs of any description or kind upon any street within the limits of the Town of Bloomsburg, or upon any premises fronting or adjoining to be fired, such fire crackers or squibs within the limits of the said town, shall, upon conviction before the President of the Town Council, be fined in any sum not exceeding five dollars for each offence. And so much of the sixth article of the first Section of Town Ordinance No. 5, as is inconsistent herewith, be and the same is hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect on and after ten days publication.

Passed May 27, 1872.

E. MENDENHALL,
Attest—C. G. BARKLEY, President.
Secretary.

ORDINANCE NO. 7.

An ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 5.

SECTION 1.—*Be it ordained and enacted by the Town Council of the Town of Bloomsburg and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same*, That the market hours be until nine o'clock in the forenoon on each market day from the first day of May to the first day of November, in each year, and until ten o'clock in the forenoon on each market day from the first day of November to the first day of May. And that so much of ordinance No. 5, entitled "An ordinance to establish a general market and stone Market," passed the eighth day of April 1872, as is inconsistent herewith, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Passed May 27, 1872.

E. MENDENHALL,
Attest C. G. BARKLEY, President.
Secretary.
May 31, 1872.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

the First National Bank of Bloomsburg at Bloomsburg in the State of Pennsylvania, at close of business June 18th, 1872:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$109,867 60
Overdrafts	8,787 36
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Due from Redeeming and Reserve Agents	36,223 11
Due from other National Banks	6,417 61
Due from other Banks and Bankers	12,720 49
Current Expenses	178 85
Cash Items (including stamps)	140 00
Fractional currency (including Nickels)	4 66
Legal Tender Notes	14,949 00
	$322,318 11

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$250,000 00
Surplus Fund	7,500 00
Discount	970 03
Exchange	250 55
Interest	198 67
National Bank circulation outstanding	47,195 00
Individual Deposits	15,081 19
Due to National Banks	15,672 93
Due to other Banks and Bankers	130 00
	$322,318 11

STATE OF PENN'A,
County of Columbia, } ss.

I, J. P. TUSTIN, Cashier of the First National Bank of Bloomsburg do solemnly affirm that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. P. TUSTIN, Cashier.

Subscribed and affirmed to before me this 18th day of June 1872.

WM. PEACOCK, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
WM. NEAL,
I. W. MCKELVY,
C. R. PAXTON,
Directors.

TO THE PUBLIC.

GO TO

W. H. BROWN,

GROCER & TEA DEALER,

Opposite the Stone Episcopal Church, corner of Main and Iron sts., Bloomsburg

W. H. BROWN is now offering on terms which challenge competition, a new stock of FRESH GOODS,

Groceries and Provisions, Flour and Feed,

Teas, Spices, Coffees, Sugar, Syrups, Molasses, Meats, Cheese, Fish, &c.

W. H. BROWN keeps the best New Bright, Fat Mackerel that are brought to Bloomsburg, and are sold at extremely low prices. Go and see his Fish—they are fine and good; ½, ¼ and full barrels are all full weight.

BROWN has a full assortment of the best Queensware which he sells very low. His Iron Stone China and Glassware, are of every variety.

Vegetables of every Description.

Sealed Goods, Tomatoes, Peaches and Pears, Green Peas,
Lima Beans, Green Corn, Cherries, Strawberries, Pine Apples,
Dried Corn, Blackberries, Green Gages, Damson Plums, Quinces,
Pears, Raspberries, Jellies, Flavoring Extracts, Catsups, Mustards,
Sauces, Shell Fish, Olives, Sardines, Olive Oil, &c., &c., &c.

He keeps nothing but first class goods which are warranted to give satisfaction to every one.

Produce and Grain taken in exchange for Goods.

April 19, 1872.

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE

Poor District of Bloom, January 20, 1871, to January 8th, 1872.

Jacob Schuyler, Treasurer in account with said District.

Dr.

To amount received of John A Funston, late Treasurer	$7 16
To amount received of Wm. Kramer	75 09
To proceeds of Lease to Sovereworth	875 00
To total amount received on Bloom Duplicate	$123 38
To total amount received on Greenwood duplicate	581 69
To total amount received on Scott duplicate	1040 97
To total amount received on Sugarloaf duplicate	402 00
	$7181 27

Cr.

By order redeemed	6972 86
By commission on same	179 32
By balance in hands of Treasurer	37 09
	$7181 27

Examined and certified.

S. B. MILLER,
J. H. IKELER,
WM. KRAMER,
} Directors.

By request of Directors we have examined the above and find it correct.

P. F. DRINKER,
J. E. CASEY,
} Auditors.

Directors of the Poor in account with Bloom Scott, Greenwood and Sugarloaf townships.

To amt. of duplicates for year 1871, viz.

To Bloom township	$6023 37
To Scott township	2040 67
To Greenwood township	2518 14
To Sugarloaf township	711 08
To amount received for grain, etc., sold	102 00
To orders outstanding	2551 00
	$14939 09

By com. on $6023 38 collect'd on Bloom duplicate 4 ct'd	240 95
By com. on $2040 67 collected on Greenwood duplicate, 4 0-0	81 25
By com. on $1040 97 collect'd on Scott duplicate 4 0-0	41 59
By com. on $711 08 collected on Sugarloaf duplicate 4 0-0	17 08
By exonerations, Bloom duplicate, 1871	24 00
By " Scott " "	6 15
By " Greenwood " "	5 25
By amt. due on Bloom duplicate (uncollected)	1502 25
By amt. due on Greenwood duplicate (uncollected)	1759 61
By amt. due on Sugarloaf duplicate (

Agricultural.

Experiments in Feeding Swine.

A farmer in Iowa furnishes an account of careful tests made by him last fall with twenty hogs, about one year old. We quote his conclusions, which may help in the settling of some hitherto undecided points:

They were fed twenty-eight days on dry shelled corn, and consumed eighty-three bushels; made a net gain of 837 pounds, which is equivalent to eighteen pounds per bushel, which sold my corn thus fed at fifty cents and four mills per bushel.

They were fed fourteen days on corn meal ground fine and fed dry, and consumed forty-seven bushels; made a net gain of 553 pounds, which is equivalent to 11.76 pounds to one bushel of corn, which brought my corn to fifty-eight cents and eight mills per bushel.

They were fed fourteen days on meal, mixed up with cold water, and consumed 55 1-2 bushels; made an net gain 731 pounds, which is equivalent to 13.17 pounds per bushel. In this trial I realized for my corn 65 cents and 8 mills per bushel.

They were fed fourteen days upon cooked meal, and consumed 46 1-2 bushels; their net gain was 686 pounds, which is equivalent to 14.96 pounds per bushel; this sold my corn for 74 cents and 8 mills per bushel.

Taking the two extremes, I find that I got 24 cents and 4 mills more per bushel for my corn by grinding and cooking than when fed whole and raw. After deducting 1-7 for grinding, leaves 21 cents per bushel.

Had I ground and cooked the feed for my 20 hogs I find I would have made 663 pounds more pork than I did, which would have given me $33 more.

I find it will require 345.51 bushels of raw corn to make 3,580 pounds of pork, and only 232 bushels when cooked—a difference of 112.6 bushels in favor of cooked feed.

FERTILIZING CORN.—Here is a hint to corn-growers, of some value: "An intelligent and reliable farmer, who has been for many years making experiments with corn, has discovered an importance and value in replanting corn which is quite novel and worthy of publication. We have always thought replanted corn was of little consequence; he plants whether it is needed or not—or rather he plants two or three weeks after crops are planted, about every fifteenth row each way. He says if the weather becomes dry during the filling time, the silk and tassel both become dry and dead. In this condition, if it should become seasonable, the silk revives and renews, but the tassel does not recover. Thus, for the want of pollen, the new silk is unable to fill the office for which it was designated. The pollen from the replanted-corn is then ready to supply the silk, and the filling is completed. He says nearly all the abortive ears, so common to the corn crop, are caused by want of pollen, and that he has known ears to double their size in the double filling."

GREASING WHEELS.—The wheels of all wagons, carts, carriages, mowers, etc., should be oiled, but great damage is often done by oiling too plentifully. Lard should never be used on a wheel, for it will penetrate the hub, and work its way around the tenons of the spokes, and spoil the wheel. Tallow is the best lubricator for wood axletrees, and castor oil for iron. Just grease enough should be applied to the spindle of a wagon to give it a light coating; this is better than more, for the surplus put on will work out on the ends, and be forced by the shoulder-bands and nut washers into the hub around the outside of the boxes. To oil an axle-tree, first wipe the spindle clean with a cloth wet with spirits of turpentine, and then apply a few drops of castor oil near the shoulder and end. One tea-spoonful is sufficient for the whole.

AN EXCELLENT VARNISH FOR HARNESS.—Procure half a pound or a pound of gum-shellac, according to the quantity desired; break the scales fine, and put them in a jug or bottle; add good alcohol sufficient to cover the gum; cork tightly, and place where it will be kept warm. In about two days, if shaken frequently, the gum will be dissolved and ready for use. If the liquid appears as thick as thin molasses, add more alcohol. To one quart of varnish add one ounce of lampblack and an ounce of gum camphor. Such varnish will not render leather hard; but will keep the harness from becoming soaked with water, and the surface clean and neat for a long time. A coat of it will effectually prevent the oil in the leather from soiling one's hands. Nothing is better to render a farmer's boots water-proof than an occasional coat of this leather varnish.—*Home Journal.*

SAVE YOUR OWN CLOVER SEED.—We have just been informed says the Franklin *Patriot* that one of the largest and most enterprising farmers of this country, last year, saved enough clover seed for his own sowing, sold enough to pay for all the dry goods used in his family, and received $25 in cash in addition. This is the way in which he did it. He put a wire bottom in a trough in which he fed his stock—the wire being two or three inches above the close bottom of the trough. The stock is pulling the clover hay from the racks would scatter the seeds almost pure through the wire into the receptacle below.

How easy and simple a way to save hundreds of dollars, now annually sent out of the country. This can be done also by making close floors in your barn lofts. This will be somewhat more expensive, but it will pay for itself in one season.

POULTRY.—Provide plenty of nest-eggs for the hens, and see that two do not lay in one nest or in the same nest with a setting hen. See that everything is kept clean in the poultry-house, and that it is ventilated. Whitewash frequently. Move the coops frequently, so as to keep the ground or grass clean. This is particularly necessary with turkeys. Avoid the common mistake of having the coops too small, and see that they are well ventilated. The great secret of raising ducks is to feed them all they will eat, half a dozen times a day, or more.

Chickens under two weeks old should be fed as often as every two hours, and fed no more than they will eat up clean at each time.

Young Folks.

The Boy Organist.

Mozart's first experience of a large organ was in the monastery of a little town on the banks of the Danube. He was then only six years old, and in company with his father had left his home in Salzburg, and started upon a long course of travel. All day long they had been sailing down that majestic river, past crumbling ruins, frowning castles, cloisters hidden away among the crags, towering cliffs, quiet villages nestled in sunny valleys, and here and there a deep gorge that opened back from the gliding river, its hollow distance blue with fathomless shadow, and its loneliness and stillness stirring the boy's heart like some dim and vast cathedral.

The company of monks with whom they had been traveling that day were at supper in the refectory of the cloister, when father Mozart took Wolfgang into the chapel to see the organ.

And now as the boy gazed with something of awe upon the great instrument, looming up in the shadows of the great empty church, his face lit up with serene satisfaction and every motion and attitude of the little figure expressed a wondering reverence. What tones must oven now be slumbering in those mighty pipes? Tones, which, if once awakened, could give utterance to all that voiceless beauty which the day's scenes had showed him—life and death; present and past; the peaceful river and the deserted ruin; the sunshine unfailing and the unfailing shadow at its side.

"Father," said the boy, "explain to me those pedals at the organ's feet, and let me play?"

Well pleased, the father complied. Then Wolfgang pushed aside the stool, and when father Mozart had filled the great bellows, the elfin organist stood upon the pedals, and trod them as though he had never needed to have their management explained.

How the deep tones woke the somber stillness of the old church! The organ seemed some great uncouth creature, roaring for very joy at the caresses of the marvelous child.

The monks, eating their supper in the refectory, heard the tones and dropped knife and fork in astonishment. The organist of the brotherhood was among them; but never had he played with such power and freedom. They listened; some grew pale; others crossed themselves; till the prior rose up, summoned all his courage, and hastened into the chapel. The others followed, but when they looked up into the organ-loft, lo! there was no form of any organist to be seen, though the deep tones still massed themselves in new harmonies, and made the stone arches thrill with their power. "It is the devil himself!" cried the last one of the monks, drawing closer to one of his companions, and giving a sacred look over his shoulders into the darkness of the aisle.

"It is a miracle!" said another. But when the oldest of their number mounted the stairs to the organ front, he stood as if petrified with amazement.

There stood the tiny figure, treading from pedal to pedal, and at the same time clutching the keys above with his little hands, gathering handfuls of those wonderful chords as if they were violets, and flinging them out into the solemn gloom behind him. He heard nothing, saw nothing, besides; his eyes beamed like stars, and his whole face lighted with impassioned joy. Louder and fuller rose the harmonies, streaming forth in swelling billows, till at last they seemed to reach a sunny shore, on which they broke; and then a whispering ripple of faintest melody lingered a moment in the air, like the last murmur of a wind harp, and all was still.

Sea Riches.

The children were always glad to see uncle Herbert come. He had a brain as full of curious facts as an old curiosity shop, and he was always ready to bring them forth to instruct, or please the children.

"So you wish you could find a gold mine on the farm, do you, Walter?" he said one day, to his little nephew. "Well, there was gold on a place where I once lived at the South, but I never thought it worth while to look after it much."

"Why, uncle, did you neglect such a golden opportunity?" said Ruth, "I should call that real wasteful."

"There was gold there, Ruth, without doubt; but you see it costs three dollars to get two dollars worth of it. So it would not be a very good business to work it. As a general thing, a man would get rich faster raising potatoes, than digging for gold, even in pretty fair diggings. Now, if only some plan could be devised to drain off the ocean until its bottom had been thoroughly searched, we should find treasurers enough there to satisfy us. We might gather jewels and coins of gold and silver until we were tired of the business."

"I should not get tired very soon," said Walter.

"May be not, but it is very easy to get a surfeit of even something we value very highly. You thought the half dozen shells you had, were the most beautiful things you possessed. You never got tired of looking them over. But when papa took you to the seaside, and you gathered a whole bed full, you lost all your interest in them."

"Do you suppose the ocean is really very rich, uncle? You know it is a proverb, 'as rich as the sea.'"

"No doubt it hides millions upon millions of treasure. Great ships loaded with it have often foundered at sea, and all on board gone down to the depths below. Some eighty years ago a Spanish vessel loaded with coin, was wrecked off a rocky coast. After violent storms it has long been common to pick up silver dollars and half dollars along that section of coast. The cove has received the name of "The Dollar Cove." Persons have picked up sometimes, eight dollars in a morning; some scoured very bright by the tossing of the waves among the sands, others have sand so crusted over them, it is impossible to get it off. It is supposed that the storms break up the old boxes which hold the coin, and the dashing waves wash them up. Companies have been formed to search for the old ship, but nothing as yet has been accomplished. After all, hard, steady work, with proper economy, is the surest pathway to wealth, and brings the greatest happiness with it."

Miscellaneous.

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May10-1y

Miscellaneous.

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LADIES' DRESS GOODS

of the choicest styles and latest fashions, together with a large assortment of Dry Goods and Groceries, consisting of the following articles

Carpets, Oil Cloths, Cloths, Cassimeres, Shawls, Flannels, Silks, White Goods, Linens, Hoop Skirts, Muslins, Hollowware, Cedarware, Hardware, Queensware, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Hoop Nets, Umbrellas, Looking-Glasses, Tobacco, Coffee, Sugars, Teas, Rice, Allspice, Ginger, Cinnamon, Nutmegs

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In short, everything usually kept in country stores, to which they invite the attention of the public generally. The highest price will be paid for country produce in exchange for goods.

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